UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

PROTECTIVE COATINGS, INC., d/b/a PROCOAT

Employer

and Case 19-RC-171083

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MACHINISTS AND AEROSPACE WORKERS, DISTRICT LODGE 751 Petitioner

ORDER

The Employer's Requests for Review of the Regional Director's determinations to hold the petition in abeyance pending resolution of the unfair labor practice charges are denied as they raise no substantial issues warranting review.¹

MARK GASTON PEARCE, CHAIRMAN

PHILIP A. MISCIMARRA, MEMBER

LAUREN McFERRAN, MEMBER

Dated, Washington, D.C., August 11, 2016.

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¹ Member Miscimarra favors a reconsideration of the Board's blocking charge doctrine for reasons expressed in the dissenting views that were contained within the Board's representation election rule, 79 Fed. Reg. 74308 at 74430-74460 (Dec. 15, 2014) (dissenting views of Members Miscimarra and Johnson), but he acknowledges that the Board has declined to materially change its blocking charge doctrine, and he agrees that the Regional Director did not abuse his discretion in applying the doctrine in this case.